



# Editor takes in New Orleans

By Mary Kaye Reynolds  
Feature Editor

New Orleans, how could you? We sent our wholesome, down to earth, All American editor Anne Ely to the American Collegiate Press Convention last week, and you really threw her some nasty curves.

In the first place, it wasn't financially feasible for Anne to spend \$23 a night for a hotel room. With the aid of the Director of Student Housing at Tulane University, she arranged to stay at L'Auberge, a youth hostel in the French Quarter.

"The first night, I stayed in a house of... questionable repute," laughed Anne. "It was on a really dark backstreet. The house was

divided into two parts. One half was the lady's home and the other half consisted of the rooms she rented. There were a lot of bizarre looking people staying there."

Anne, being of sound moral fiber, informed the lady Thursday morning that it would be impossible to stay there another night. Having paid in advance for the room, her money was not refunded, cheerfully or otherwise.

So here was Anne, wandering around in the French Quarter with her suitcase in hand and a few tears in her eyes, not having the slightest idea how to get to the Convention center. Being the resourceful person she is, Anne did a very resourceful thing. She spied a woman with curlers in her hair and a scarf in a laundry. She walked in to ask directions. The "woman" had a five o'clock shadow and a voice like Edgar G. Robinson. "I didn't even listen to the directions, I was so upset," said Anne. "I left the laundry and continued walking down the street, crying the whole time. I finally found a cab to take me to the hotel where the convention was being held." Tearfully, Anne explained her predicament to the cabdriver. Luck was with her - she got a cabdriver with a box of kleenexes. As an added bonus, he just happened to be an accomplished poet. So while listening to: "I'm sorry that I'll never see - the lovely flight of a bumblebee" and drying her tears for the moment, Anne reached the convention center. That New Orleans cabdriver was so overwhelmed with our editor that he gave her the ride free, which is no small thing to accomplish in a town of that size and reputation.

Once Anne reached the hotel and contacted some students from Columbia, Missouri, she had met on the flight there, things began to settle down a bit. Anne arranged to stay with the girls for the remainder of the convention.

"The convention part of the trip was fantastic," said Anne. "It started Thursday morning and continued until Saturday. It consisted of a series of 1 1/2 hour lectures and workshops. The topics, led by various college advisors, included graphic designs, how to get more out of your reporters, and non-verbal cues on reporting." In future editions of the Courier, I hope we're able to see a lot of hand drawn art work, creative use of photographs, and in depth studies. When asked which lecture she enjoyed the most, Anne replied, "Definitely the lecture on graphic design. I learned definite ideas and we're to go for resources on more graphic ideas."

Anyway, the point of this whole article is: Anne never should have gone alone. There is safety in numbers, you know. There are some things that an Auburn, Nebraska (pop. 3500) girl should not be expected to handle on her own, no matter how independent and resourceful she is. She never should have been exposed to the sin and degradation all by herself. I think it would have been a very good idea to send someone else along with Anne - someone who has been to New Orleans before and wouldn't have minded going again (had she been invited.) Someone involved with the Courier, like maybe one of the editors, who could have used first hand information to give you readers a clearer view of the convention and the pains she underwent to become a socially responsible journalist.



photo by barbi ries

Agnes Riedmann, sociologist and fiction writer, was on the Clarke campus Monday to discuss writing techniques with interested students.

## COURIER CAUCUS

To the editor:

Twenty-two and a half inches is a lot of print to devote to one letter to an editor, but allowing the students who wrote in "Courier Caucus" on October 28 to spin out their tale to such length gave the perceptive and persevering reader enough information to realize that there is another side to that story (probably at least two more sides). Professional ethics would prevent Sister Sheila from publicizing her version in detail, even if she wanted to spend time doing it, but it occurs to me that there have been other letters printed over the past few years that could well have received a response from someone whose judgment or behavior was being criticized. Sometimes there was a reply in the next issue, but the time lapse made it difficult for readers to follow the discussion.

I suggest that the COURIER adopt the policy of submitting a copy of a critical letter that the editor proposes printing to the person who might want to respond, so that the original letter and its answer (if one is forthcoming) can appear in the same issue. There are other reputable publications that do this; they believe that it is fair to the public as well as the individuals involved to bring out the whole story.

Sister Mary Healy

### Planetarium

To the editor:

This is in reply to the Planetarium article in last week's issue of the Courier.

First of all, the person who gives shows at the planetarium is a SOPHOMORE, not a freshman and officially I am on my own, under the direction of Sister Carol Spiegel. Secondly, the planetarium is my work-study job. I am paid for the time I spend giving shows and preparing for them. Sometimes there are two or three shows a week, at other times they are few and far between. Needless to say, I don't think there's quite enough work to keep more than one student fairly paid. Yet the planetarium takes up a lot of individual time which may discourage some students from donating their time.

Thirdly, to compare our planetarium to Loras's at this time is not really fair. Originally Clarke had most of the public shows, but with Sister Martha's absence the past program is in temporary limbo. There is no way a student run program could equal that run by a college physics professor. One solution may be to hire a special instructor, but here we run into a high expense.

Fourth, it seems like it would be wasteful duplication to have both Loras and Clarke competing for viewers. It's hard enough to get people to come to free movies and lectures let alone to come to a planetarium show once a week. Lastly, it is unfortunate that circumstances have caused the planetarium to be operating slightly under capacity but for now that's all that can be done. I really enjoy my job and I try the best I can but don't expect the impossible. So far I've just worked out a basic show suitable for 3rd and 4th graders.

Later on when I'm more experienced I hope to be able to give shows to an eager Clarke public. Until then I'll post a sign in the CBH lobby on the window directory whenever I have a show for little kids. If you have 45 minutes, come up and see how your planetarium is used.

Karen Volz

### 'Misquoted'

To the Editor:

Last May you printed several interviews on reasons why students were leaving the College. I am one of those students. I am now asking for a formal apology from Clarke College and the Editor of the newspaper, and from the reporter who was Elizabeth Aga. I was misquoted totally about Clarke College and my views. If there isn't an apology taken the next letter will come from the United States Army and my company commander. I was told I could file suit against the college for slander, my attorney Major L. J. Rogers advised me to ask for a letter of apology and if I do not have it printed in the Courier then a formal letter will come from my Company Commander and then a suit from the United States Army as plaintiff. Please do not force further action. I would like the letter to be in the November issue of the Courier or December issue of the Courier no later.

Respectfully,  
Lt. Pamela L. Richardson  
Abdereen Proving Grounds,  
Maryland

Editor's note: the COURIER stands by the May 6, 1977 article as it was printed, and vouchers for the accuracy of reporter Elizabeth Aga.

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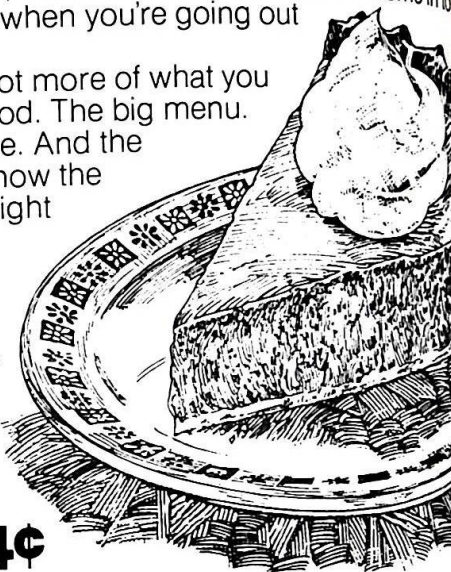
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# Brady denies ordering of noise crackdown

Interview conducted by Beverly Schroeder

Q: What do you think of Police Chief O'Brien?

A: I think Police Chief O'Brien is incompetent. There was a letter signed by 75 percent of the police force stating that they had no confidence in the chief's ability to run the department. That letter lay on the manager's desk for six months and was never answered. I think that is a crime and when I tried to get the Council to respond to that, the two councilmen who supposedly represent labor on the Council didn't even recognize the fact that a labor organization had sent a letter regarding that. They see no problem with that, they think Police Chief O'Brien is doing a great job. I heartily disagree.

Q: Would you call for his resignation?

A: I certainly would. I think that we have a very good police department. They're working very hard. We're giving them very little money to work with. In the last three years I'm the only person at the Council table that has tried to put allocations out each year to increase the police department budget, manpower, automobiles and equipment. They're drastically understaffed and under-equipped. The problem is that the rest of the Council does not see this. As long as they can get something for nothing or virtually nothing they are going to continue to do so. When we look at our record of law enforcement we stand very well, but I think that is in spite of the chief, not because of him.

Q: Recently there was a police crackdown about noise around the Avenue and Gomer's. Is it true that the City Council ordered this crackdown?

A: No. Ordering it as such it is not true but it certainly could have been done. We had a meeting about nine months ago with the police chief and the people at Gomer's and talked to them about it at that time. The problem really was out of hand. I've been satisfied that it has come under control in the last nine months. I've had no real problem in that time with it and I haven't received any calls about it which tells me there's no problem because if people have a problem they'll call me at 2 a.m. if they're mad enough. And I haven't heard it on this. I think there was something there and Gomer's is a situation that should never have existed. Not that it's a bad place. It's being managed and run very well but it does not belong in the neighborhood where it is in. We have only one type of tavern under our ordinance. It can have a 1000 seats in it or 10,000 or 20 seats but it's still a tavern. What we need to do is set up a zoning ordinance that has stages and divides the difference between a tavern and a club of some kind or larger form of entertainment. And keep them from residential areas where they wouldn't take this noise and traffic.

Q: With two women running, would you care to comment on the Equal Rights Amendment?

A: I have no problem with the Equal Rights Amendment. In fact if you look back, when I ran four years ago I said that I felt that it was time to get a woman on the Council but the problem was that there wasn't one that was qualified. Two years ago we had a woman that I felt was very amply qualified and I did a lot of support for her, that was Edna Thompson. I still think that she would have made the best Council person that we could have gotten in there. I have problems with the two right now. I don't think that either is overly qualified.

Q: It has been charged that the City Council is being controlled by its hired staff, namely the city manager. Would you fire Gilbert Chavenelle?

A: I have mixed feelings on it. I certainly do think the staff and the

manager are controlling the Council. We are in the position where we are continually putting out fires. We don't have time to plan some positive Council actions on our own. Instead the staff is determining major proposals and the manager is doing things the way he wishes. I have voted twice for Mr. Chavenelle's removal and twice for his retention. So I would tell Mr. Chavenelle that this is the way it will be done and this is the way the Council has voted and if he does not do it then I would vote for his removal.

Q: What is your stand on the adult entertainment ordinance and pornography?

A: I have split for many people in the community on this. First of all I believe that this does not belong in any residential zone or anywhere near residential zones. As far as



James Brady

zoning I think the Council has an obligation to zone it away from residential and business areas as much as possible. But, in doing so I don't think we can eliminate it. The state law is very specific. The state law says we cannot do anything to interfere with the sale of that material to adults, children yes, but adults, no. We can tell them where to sell and where they cannot. I don't want a store like that near a house, school or church, or any kind of institution. But I disagree with Mr. Pregler, whose idea is going so far as to keep all young people away from "R" motion pictures. He's doing that for political gain. I don't think that anyone should tell me or any other parent what movie our children can or cannot see.

**"When we look at our record of law enforcement we stand very well, but I think that is in spite of the police chief."**

Q: Where do you think the North-South freeway should be located?

A: In my opinion the North-South freeway as far as coming down through the Couhler Valley is very destructive. It's going to have to remove almost 400 structures there, many of those being homes of the elderly and people on fixed incomes, who would have great difficulty relocating again. There's no need to come down and wipe out that large number of structures and do that kind of damage to the heart of the city. We have an area starting with the industrial islands. Kerper Boulevard is now in place running from ninth street all the way to Eagle Point. It's possible and engineering by sound that we could follow around the rest of the bluff below Eagle Point Park from where it ends now to the lock and dam and continue it to the foot of John Deere, and then that could connect up with the north branch of 386 Road, so that we can have a belt line running along the eastern edge of the city. At the other end, at ninth street I've already drawn up and submitted photographs and engineering plans for doing the extension of Kerper Boulevard down to First Street.

Q: What is the basis of the allegations by Mayor Stackis concerning your association with two women of ill repute in Washington D.C.?

A: It's interesting if you've noticed the chain of events that follow those. Three days after I attacked Chief O'Brien when he reprimanded an officer in a very stupid fashion this summer. A Council majority got together and began to circulate rumors that I owned part of a bookstore, that I was a projectionist at the Cinema X Theater, was involved with prostitution and that I had my own car stolen. A whole series of things that were going on. I told the public about two weeks before this happened that a rumor campaign was going on and I asked that if anyone heard these rumors, to put it on paper and bring it forward into the

open. On that the particular morning that the allegations broke, I presented a letter from Mayor Stackis that showed he had indeed sat on the adult entertainment Ordinance for three months. He had written a letter to the city solicitor, telling the city solicitor to hold it. The city solicitor had written a letter to the clerk saying, "Leo please sit on this. Mayor Stackis doesn't want it on the agenda and Mr. Brady does." This was dated the 5th of August. We held it through August, September and October and on the day before the primary it was brought up. Because I presented that letter and told the public in Dubuque that Mayor Stackis was sitting on it, at noon of that day, he lost his cool and what had been rumor up until that point and of which there is absolutely no truth to,

he let them fly to the press and there is a law suit that is now beginning. I can't say anymore about it because my attorney is handling that for me, but I hope to get rich. My family has been hurt by the allegations, my reputation has been damaged, both as a professional teacher and as a citizen of the community.

Q: You do have substantial evidence about the delay by Mayor Stackis?

A: Yes, that was a very definite letter that I produced to all the members of the press and that's what made the man angry. I think that the way the vote turned out, that he was the lowest vote getter, told him that the people of Dubuque don't like that kind of dirty political campaigning. And it's going on right now yet, that particular type of mudsliding is still happening.

## Deich advocates reform in police discipline

Interview Conducted By Cindy Dalsing Leifker

Q: What is your opinion of the job being done by Pole Chief O'Brien — should he be fired or retained?

A: I don't think he should be fired. I think he should resign; he should be asked to resign. In light of the things that happened this summer, I think it is in the best interests of the city and the police department for him to be replaced. Too many things have been happening that make the police department look ridiculous and we can't have that happening. How can we respect any policeman who has his dignity taken away by standing on the corner in the hot sun all day as punishment? One thing I'm pushing for is the formation of a commission to be in charge of all personnel and disciplinary measures in the police department.

Q: If O'Brien were asked to resign and would not, should he be fired?

A: If he continues to act like he has been in certain cases. One time just after the noise ordinance was passed he stood in the council chambers and said 'I will not enforce it.' And he didn't enforce it until just recently when people of the city kept calling in on these "Talk to your councilman" shows and asking, "When will the noise ordinance be enforced?" But this was only a shot in the dark and I don't think he will go on enforcing it. Any officer is sworn to uphold the laws of the United States and the state of Iowa and the city of Dubuque. If he can't do this simple thing he is no good as an officer.

Q: What about the women's rights-ERA role in this election — do you feel that a woman's viewpoint is different than a man's?

A: It depends on the woman and the man. I think I could function all right with a woman on the council. Men and women are born with some differences; they can't do all of the same things. But as for functioning on the council, there shouldn't be any differentiation at all. I've known women to have the exact same opinions as me, and I've known women who did not agree with me at all. I don't think there will be any difference.

Q: You have charged that city council acts as a rubber stamp for the city manager's ideas. Could you explain this?

A: The reason I say this is that for two and a half years I have sat down there and watched the council's actions and the city manager's actions. Many times I did not agree with the city manager's methods. One time was some land being developed and the developer wouldn't let it be inspected. After much arguing, the council finally decided to start a suit on it. So the lawyer started the suit but after a short time City Manager Chavenelle told him the council agreed to drop the suit. Then a little later one of

the councilmen asked how the suit was going, the lawyer told him the suit had been dropped. Only one of the five men on the council dared to say, 'Well, why?' and jump on it. The other four just sat there and took it. It had not been the council's wishes to drop proceedings at all. It was Mr. Chavenelle's. Now this is just one case. I've seen it time after time.

Q: Should the present adult entertainment zoning ordinance be strengthened or left the same?

A: The present allowance of 1250 feet allows them room to set up; whether these spaces are available or not is another story. An important question here is 'Where do we stop?'



photo by barbi ries  
Donald Deich

Just what is pornography? There are nude pictures in medical books, women's magazines, art and photography magazines. Yet these are not considered pornography. At what point do we come into a restricted area and move from restricting to censoring? Any person over 18 years old is old enough to decide for himself his choice of entertainment. As for minors, they

are not allowed to view for instance, x-rated films, and when they are found doing so they should be busted. Any person who can vote or fight for his country has the right to choose.

**"Too many things have been happening that make the police department look ridiculous."**

Q: What is your opinion on Dubuque's new freeway and its location?

A: Right now I would vote no on that. There is much involved in this, but basically it's too much, too big for the size of the city. It will do the job, but we could do the job just by putting a new highway down the middle of the city. It's just too much, not only in dollars but also in the business of relocating people to other parts of the city. At today's prices, no matter how much you pay these people for the houses they bought years ago, even at top market price, it's not going to be enough to buy them another house.

Q: Would you be more favorable to highway 520, rerouting traffic around the city of Dubuque?

A: Well, 520 is not the answer to freeway 561 at all; our problem is not getting people around the city but moving them in it. If we have the North bypass and Kerper Blvd., we'll have a sufficient flow of traffic around the city to eliminate the Counler Valley segment. I don't expect this to go through for a long time.



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Freshman Annette Reiter dives into Terrence Donoghoe pool.  
photo by Tammy Edens

## Six participants in swim lessons

By Margaret Doyle  
Staff Writer

Swimming lessons for the beginning and advanced student are currently being offered every Thursday night in the Terrence Donoghoe Hall pool from 6:15-8 p.m. Instructors for the lessons are Peg Snesrud and Monica Aita, both departmental instructors at Clarke.

The lessons were organized by Sister Diana Malone, director of student activities. Malone formed them in future hopes of building a competitive swimming program. The Clarke pool is not regulation size, so the possibility of an intercollegiate team was not favored. The intramural program could include swimming teams if the interest is strong enough.

According to Snesrud, the turnout has been relatively low with only six students participating in the program. Originally the class

capacity was hoped to be approximately 25 swimmers. The six participants are all in the beginning class, and recently the advanced class had not been held, because of the absence of students. It is inevitable that if the lack of enthusiasm is representative of student interest, the lessons may be dropped.

Snesrud would like to see the lessons continued and spark more student interest. Annette Reiter, a freshman swimmer agrees, "They are relaxing, and get you away from your books for awhile."

If they do continue to second semester, there is a possibility of receiving credits from the lessons and, a life-saving course may be offered.

Pool hours are Monday-Wednesday from 8-10 p.m., also Saturday and Sunday from 2:30-4:30 p.m. Certified life guards are on duty during these hours. Both instructors hold Water Safety Instructor (WSI) certificates.

## around the dubuque colleges

A New York City resource tour is planned for May 15-29 for Clarke students in communications, business, fine arts and sciences. A sign-up bulletin board will be in the carpeted hallway November 1-30. Activities and places of interest will be available for students of each department. Temporary plans include Broadway productions and visits to Bell Telephone, New York Times, Stoney Brook Industrial Center, Lincoln Center and Wall Street.

Fees and transportation are undetermined at this time. Charles Ellis, journalism department chairman, said that optional three hours credit is under discussion. He said that for seniors, "The trip will be an opportunity to check on jobs in New York City and line up interviews."

Interested students may contact their respective department person - Ellis, communications; Sister Kenneth Keller, business; Father Dennis Zusy, sciences; and Sister Carmelle Zserdin, fine arts. A minimum of 40 students is required.

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The United Fund Drive was successful this year. All the dorms participated as well as the off-campus students. The most money donated was from Mary Ben with \$106.87, Mary Fran with \$40.03 and Mary Jo with \$45.55. On the percentage rating, Mary Jo had the highest with 65 percent of their goal. Total receipts were \$231.37.

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Two Clarke art instructors and five art students were among those honored in the recent Annual Competitive Show, sponsored by the Dubuque Art Association.

Sister Helen Kerrigan's "Studio Lunch I" an oil painting won the "Best in Show" prize. Her "Studio Lunch II", also an oil, captured the second prize in the professional category as well as being selected as the people's choice.

Douglas Schlesier's pastel, "My Hero," won honorable mention in the professional category. Amateur honors went to senior Jan Dolter who took first place with

her "Still Life with Watercolor". Honorable mentions went to Mary Beth Tauke with her acrylic "Squid"; Barbara Collins with "Germ of Life," a mixed media; Mary Fronczak with "Vegetables and Fruit," a watercolor; and Mary Jo Douglas with her fabric sculpture "French Fries".

All the prize winning entries are on display now at the Old Jail Gallery.

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## Potential, unity strengthen team

With its lack of facilities and a small reserve the Clarke basketball team may find a grueling season in its future. Assistant coach Sheila Brennan commented that "the kids on the team are serious athletes who give 200 percent because they have to make up for the lack of facilities, team members and the program that the team is run under."

Missing from this year's lineup will be Clarke's top scorer Sue Smith. Smith averaged 25 points per game and accounted for 232 of the 1976-7 season's 711 total team points. Smith will be playing for Clarke's rival, Loras College. Carol Boyle and Gloria Zibilich will not be returning as both have graduated. Boyle and Zibilich jointly made 150 of the 557 total rebounds for the season.

Since practice began October 10, prospective team members have dwindled from twelve to nine, giving Clarke a meager reserve of only four players. This is a crucial factor weighing against the team, since it vitally needs the reserves to relieve the starters. The lack of reserves could be the deciding factor in a game, as they will be playing a good portion of it. Injuries and foul outs

could be disastrous.

Returnees are junior guards Max Kollasch and Lori Jones; sophomore guard Peg Smith; sophomore forward Brenda Enzler and sophomore center Cindy Schnier.

Peg Smith was the second highest scorer last season with 149 points, while Schnier scored 117. Jones had 89 rebounds, second highest last year, and was fourth highest scorer with 93 points. As well as being two of Clarke's most promising varsity players, Smith and Jones will be acting captains for the 77-78 season. The co-captains believe the team can go a long way this year. Smith said "We're hopeful! We have a lot of potential if we can put it all together." Jones added that the team is "more organized than last year and there is definitely a lot of unity between the team members."

Clarke hopes to find strength in a newcomer to the team, freshman Annette Reiter from Denver, Iowa. Reiter has shown great potential as a forward thus far in practices.

Others new to the team are freshman Sherri Hyde and sophomore Eileen McGing as guards and Anna Kopko, a junior who will alternate between center and forward.

The starting five will be Schnier at

center, Smith and Reiter as forwards and Jones and Kollasch as guards.

Assistant history professor Pat Folk will serve as head coach with senior Sheila Brennan as his assistant. Sophomore Rose Stork will manage the team for the second consecutive year.

Practice has been held at the Dominican Education Center in Sinsinawa, Wisconsin, since Clarke has no gym. The team now has access to the gym at St. Patrick's School in Dubuque on Mondays and Thursdays and the gym at the University of Dubuque on Saturday evenings. Home games will be held at the McCormick Gym at the University of Dubuque.

In a span of seven days, the team will play five games beginning Nov. 14 when they participate in the College Tournament. Coach Folk anticipates a tough season, with competition being especially stiff with Loras, St. Ambrose, and the University of Dubuque. Folk optimistically commented, "Despite all the odds, I think we can have a good season, if the girls keep working as hard as they have and maintain their positive attitude."

## SPORT BRIGHTS

By Meredyth Albright

## Comets? Cougars? Celts?

Cougars, Wildcats, Comets, Pacers, Fighting Tigers, Spires, Crusaders, Cavaliers, Celts, Corsairs and Valkyries were the top 10 names suggested for the basketball team out of 56 entries received from 23 persons. Members of the basketball team aided the editorial staff in cutting the list by deleting the names which they wouldn't, under any circumstance, play under.

Cougars, Wildcats, and Fighting Tigers are all names, used by many schools as mascots, that represent power and strength along with ferociousness. Alliteration-wise, Cougars sounds rather poetic placed after Clarke.

Following in the alliteration pattern, Comets represents speed and power. Pacers has a positive attitude meaning the team would set the pace and be the leader while everyone else followed and relied on them.

The Spires would represent Clarke appropriately because of the double spires on the chapel. The name also seems to represent height and strength. Crusaders, as mentioned in a previous column, reminds one of Clarke's religious affiliation as well as power and the ability to forge into situations and take over. Traditionally Cavaliers had the reputation of being dashing authority figures. Originally Celts

settled in ancient Ireland, very fitting since Mother Mary Frances Clarke and other Clarke founders were originally from Ireland. Another appropriate fact about the Celts is that the women were the power figures and controlled all situations.

Corsairs were originally Pirate ships and most recently a type of fighter plane in World War II. Valkyries were heroic females in Nordic legend.

The above names seem to be appropriate to Clarke either because of its origin or the image it conveys.

Entries received that did not make it to the final ballot because of

various weaknesses were Purple Haze, Purple Dragons, Purpolds and Golden Horde, because of the association with the team's colors. Alliteration must have spurred some of the names like Catfish, Cranberries, Clams and Clauses. Chauvanism cropped up in some of the entries with names like Kitchennettes, Dishpan Handsettes and Calgonettes.

Using the ballot below or those found in the carpeted hallway and outside the cafeteria, vote for the name you like best and feel best represents Clarke. Clarkies has been added to the ballot for tradition sake.

## NAME THE TEAM

Circle one name that you feel most appropriately pertains to the Clarke basketball team.

COUGARS  
WILDCATS  
COMETS  
PACERS  
FIGHTING TIGERS  
SPIRES  
CRUSADERS  
CAVALIERS  
CELTS  
CORSAIRS  
VALKYRIES  
CLARKIES

Ballots may be placed in boxes located in the carpeted hallway and outside the cafeteria, or sent to box 23 or the COURIER office.



Carolyn Farrell's victory in swimming. Students Kathy Lux (bottom) and well-wishers from Clarke are also present.

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Calling in a bomb threat is a felony punishable by a minimum 1-year jail sentence, a \$1000 fine, or both, according to police dispatcher Chris Peltzman. This punishment may result in a recent prankster who made a bomb threat to Clarke last week, telling of a bomb planted on campus.

Searches by police and firemen needed no bombs.

The first call was received by Joe McCarthy, who was working at the switchboard at 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 3. She reported that a male voice asked her, "Ain't you at Clarke Bar supposed to be open tonight?" He proceeded to tell her, "I'll be open at 8, there's going to be a bomb." The caller hung up and kept the line open while he dialed another phone to call the police and Sister Therese.

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By Jan Kitch  
The AAC is limiting the number of foreign language and proficiency tests on the next Academic Affairs Committee (AAC) meeting, Nov. 15 in CBH 202.

Dennis Zusy, AAC secretary, said that the rationale for the proposal is a 120-hour liberal arts sequence or approximately 40 hours of liberal arts courses. The proposal is a concept and is being written and placed in the program.

The proposal is vague as it does not specify what the program should be.